

SITUATION SUMMARY

THIS SITUATION SUMMARY COVERS DEVELOPMENTS IN CUBA AS OF 22 OCTOBER 1962. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS COLLATED FROM A NUMBER OF HIGHLY RELIABLE SOURCES --

-MISSILES-

GUANAJAY IRBM LAUNCH SITE 1 2257N 08239W

2.4 NM NORTHEAST OF GUANAJAY.  
CONTAINS 4 LAUNCH PADS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, TWO CONTROL BUNKERS, ONE VEHICLE REVETMENT AT EACH PAD, ONE ARCHED ROOF BUILDING BEING EARTH MOUNDED, TWO READY BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THE AREA IS FENCED. NO MISSILE-ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN OBSERVED.  
(THIS SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED ON [ ] NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE HAS TAKEN PLACE SINCE THAT TIME.)

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GUANAJAY IRBM LAUNCH SITE 2 2257N 08236W

4.4 NM ENE OF GUANAJAY AT 22-57-25N 082-36-55W.  
FENCED SITE CONTAINING 4 LAUNCH PADS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, ONE RECTANGULAR BUILDING UNDER CONSTRUCTION, AND 2 CONTROL BUNKERS.  
NO MISSILE-ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT NOTED.  
(THIS SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED ON [ ] NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE HAS BEEN MADE SINCE THAT TIME.)

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE 1 2240N 08317W

4.5 NM ENE OF SAN DIEGO DE LOS BANOS.  
CONTAINS 5 COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN POSITION TO RECEIVE MISSILES, 4 COVERED ERECTORS, 6 MISSILE SHELTER BUILDINGS, ONE ARCHED ROOF BUILDING, 12 PERMANENT BUILDINGS WITH TWO ADDITIONAL UNDER CONSTRUCTION, 22 TANK TRUCKS, APPROXIMATELY 110 MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES AND APPROXIMATELY 50 TENTS. THE INSTALLATION IS FENCED.  
(THIS SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED ON [ ] AND NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE HAS OCCURRED SINCE THAT TIME.)

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE 4 2246N 08258W

2.8 NM NNW OF CANDELARIA AT 22-46-55N 082-58-50W.  
SITE CONTAINS 7 COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 7 FUEL  
TRAILERS, 3 VAN-TYPE TRAILERS [REDACTED] AND  
4 ERECTORS. 4 LAUNCH POSITIONS AND 4 READY BUILDING  
AREAS ARE BEING PREPARED. 85 VEHICLES NOTED. NO  
FENCE IS EVIDENT.

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(SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] AND CONTAINED  
7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 2 ERECTORS, AND 2 POSSIBLE  
ERECTORS.)

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE 2 2241N 08315W

SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE 2 IS LOCATED 5.5 NM  
NORTH OF LOS PALACIOS.  
CONTAINS 5 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 4  
ERECTORS (3 IN POSITION TO RECEIVE MISSILES) 19  
TANK TRUCKS, 2 MISSILE SHELTER BUILDINGS, 40 TRUCKS,  
5 TRACK PRIME MOVER, APPROXIMATELY 15 ADDITIONAL  
MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES. THE AREA IS BEING SECURED  
BY A FENCE.

(THIS SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED [REDACTED] AT WHICH TIME  
THERE WERE 6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND 3 ERECTORS  
PRESENT).

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE 3 2242N 08308W

4 NM WEST OF SAN CRISTOBAL AT 22-42-40N 083-08-25W.  
ONE PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 4 ERECTORS IN  
POSITION TO RECEIVE MISSILES, 4 MISSILE-SHELTER  
BUILDINGS, 3 VEHICLES, 5 POSSIBLE VANS. UNDER  
CONSTRUCTION ARE ONE ARCHED-ROOF BUILDING,  
8 PERMANENT BUILDINGS AND A FENCE.

(THIS SITE WAS FIRST OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] AT THAT  
TIME 2 ERECTORS, 2 POSSIBLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND  
7 PERMANENT BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION WERE  
PRESENT.)

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CAMPO FLORIDA POSS CRUISE MISSILE SITE 2306N 08211W

ALL EQUIPMENT CANVAS COVERED.  
6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, CANVAS COVERED.

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SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE MISSILE SITE 2309N 08156W

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BAHIA HONDA SAM SITE 2257N 08317W

SITE IS PROBABLY OPERATIONAL.

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HAVANA SAM SITE 2309N 08213W

2 PROBABLY OCCUPIED LAUNCH POSITIONS AND 4 UNOCCUPIED POSITIONS.  
7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS.  
VANS AND FRUIT SET IN CENTRAL GUIDANCE AREA ARE CANVAS COVERED. AT LEAST 15 VEHICLES.

LA COLOMA SAM SITE 2218N 08332W

25X1

MARIEL SAM SITE 2300N 08249W

SITE IS OPERATIONAL.  
4 POSITIONS ARE REVETTED AND 6 LAUNCHERS ARE IN PLACE. 6 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS NOTED. CANVAS-COVERED FRUIT SET RADAR AND 3 VANS IN CONTROL AREA.

SANTA LUCIA SAM SITE 2241N 08355W

SITE IS OPERATIONAL. 2 MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS, ONE MISSILE TRANSPORTER IN LAUNCH REVETMENT. NO OTHER

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SANTA LUCIA ALTERNATE SAM SITE 2243N 08349W

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PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2221N 08339W

APPROXIMATELY 20 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN AREA.  
EXCAVATION WORK SOUTH OF INSTALLATION.  
INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2257N 08221W

13 TO 15 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND NUMEROUS OTHER  
VEHICLES NOTED. CONCENTRATION OF EQUIPMENT ONE NM  
NE OF THE AREA. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

LOMA DE TIERRA, VEHICLE STORAGE AREA 2301N 08213W

VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT -- 7 PROBABLE MISSILE TRAILERS,  
AND APPROXIMATELY 200 OTHER VEHICLES.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

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CONSOLACION DEL NORTE, SEARCH AREA 2244N 08332W

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

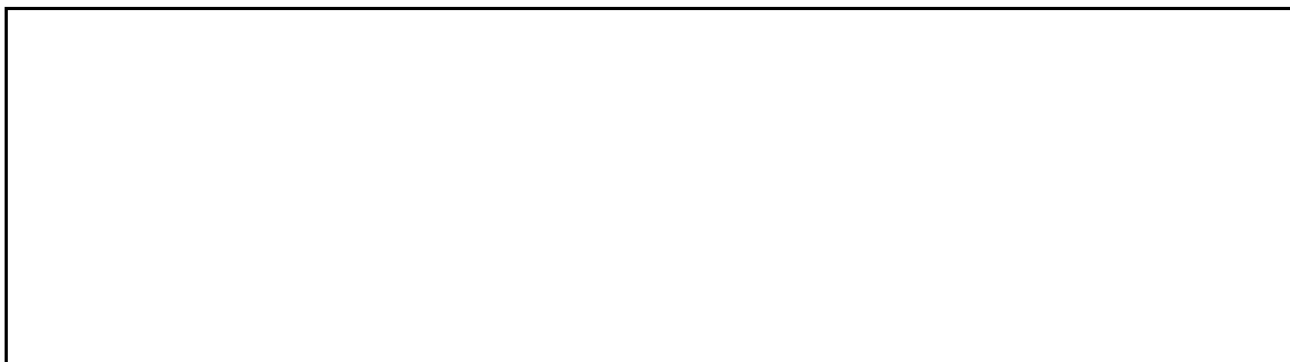
SOROA, SUSPECT MISSILE AREA 2249N 08301W

SEE SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM LAUNCH SITE NO 4.

VINALES, SUSPECT MISSILE AREA 2237N 08354W

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED SOUTH OR EAST OF VINALES.

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-AIRFIELDS-

CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD 2306N 08226W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 33, INCLUDING ONE CRATE, 3 COLT,  
ONE PBY, 2 C-45, 13 SINGLE-ENGINE UNIDENTIFIED, 13  
DERELICTS.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [REDACTED]

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JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL 20, INCLUDING ONE TU-114,  
3 BRITANNIA, 3 CONSTELLATION, 2 C-54, ONE B-26,  
4 C-46, 2 CRATE (ONE ON RUNWAY), ONE BRIGADYR, AND  
3 LIAISON.

MANAGUA AIRFIELD 2258N 08217W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE.  
NUMEROUS VEHICLES ON PARKING APRON.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION 2300N 08246W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE.  
NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES [REDACTED]  
TENTS AND VEHICLES REMAIN IN PREVIOUSLY REPORTED  
POSITION.

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PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD 2302N 08235W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 31, INCLUDING 3 HARE, ONE CAB, ONE C-47, AND 26 HOUND.

MILITARY TENT AREA .5 NM ESE OF SOUTH END OF RUNWAY CONTAINS 19 LARGE AND 6 SMALL TENTS. NUMEROUS VEHICLES PARKED WITHIN THE AREA.

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SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD 2252N 08231W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 39, INCLUDING 2 FARMER, 14 FAGOT/FRESCO, 12 B-26, ONE CRATE, 2 C-47, 2 T-33, ONE HOUND, AND 5 SINGLE-ENGINE UNIDENTIFIED.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

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-MILITARY INSTALLATIONS-

ARTEMISA AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2251N 08248W

ONLY ONE AAA POSITION (9-GUN, REVERTED) NOTED.

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BAHIA HONDA AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2258N 08311W

NO VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT NOTED.

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CABANAS AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2256N 08252W

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HAVANA, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA U/C 2301N 08226W

5 BUNKERS APPEAR TO BE COMPLETE, 2 STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION. SOME CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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LA BOCA MILITARY CAMP 2301N 08242W

TEN SMALL TENTS OBSERVED.

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LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE 2252N 08233W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE  
INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

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MANAGUA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE 2258N 08218W

NO VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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MARIEL, MILITARY HEADQUARTERS AREA 2301N 08450W

UNSECURED AREA CONTAINING 11 BARRACKS, ONE H-SHAPED  
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, MOTOR POOL WITH 4 BUILDINGS,  
AND OPEN STORAGE.  
VEHICLES -- APPROXIMATELY 80 TRUCKS AND JEEP-TYPE  
VEHICLES.

MINAS, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA 2307N 08212W

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PINAR DEL RIO, MILITARY CONCENTRATION 2223N 08342W

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APPROXIMATELY 40 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES.

SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2255N 08210W

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INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

TORRENS, MILITARY CONCENTRATION 2259N 08228W

A NEW 6-GUN AAA SITE IS LOCATED AT THE THIRD CAMP.  
NO OTHER APPARENT CHANGE FROM

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-PORTS-

BAHIA HONDA PORT 2255N 08311W

VESSELS -- NONE.  
NO ACTIVITY NOTED.

CABANAS PORT 2259N 08256W

VESSELS -- SEVERAL SMALL CRAFT IN HARBOR.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES

NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.

HAVANA PORT 2308N 08221W

VESSELS -- 4 PC, 7 PT, ONE TANKER, 33 FREIGHTERS,  
AND NUMEROUS HARBOR CRAFT.  
LARGE CONCENTRATION OF EQUIPMENT IN OPEN VEHICLE PARK  
ON SOUTH SHORE OF HARBOR. NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES

LA COLOMA PORT 2214N 08334W

VESSELS -- NONE.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES FROM

MARIEL NAVAL PORT 2301N 08245W

VESSELS -- NO CHANGE IN MILITARY SHIP COUNT FROM PAR  
ONE MEDIUM AND TWO LARGE  
FREIGHTERS IN HARBOR, ONE LARGE FREIGHTER TIED UP ON  
SW SIDE OF HARBOR, OFFLOADING UNIDENTIFIED MATERIALS  
ONTO DOCK.  
NE HARBOR AREA CONTAINS ONE LARGE BUILDING UNDER  
CONSTRUCTION WITHIN WALLED AREA ON WATERFRONT, ONE  
LARGE BUILDING ON INLAND SIDE OF BUILT-UP AREA.  
UNIDENTIFIED CONSTRUCTION IN THIRD AREA TO EAST OF  
BUILT-UP AREA.

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MATANZAS PORT 2303N 08134W

VESSELS -- ONE FREIGHTER AT PIER.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [REDACTED]  
INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

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SANTA LUCIA PORT 2240N 08358W

VESSELS -- APPROXIMATELY 8 BARGES AND 5 SMALL CRAFT.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [REDACTED]

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-HIGH INTEREST AREAS-

SPECIAL AREA 1 2252N 08230W

SEE ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD.

SPECIAL AREA 2 2259N 08225W

NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.  
SEE TORRENS MILITARY CONCENTRATION AND JOSE MARTI  
INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD.

SPECIAL AREA 3 2259N 08227W

SEE TORRENS MILITARY CONCENTRATION FOR MILITARY  
ACTIVITY.

SPECIAL AREA 4 2253N 08236W

[REDACTED]

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SPECIAL AREA 5 2255N 08231W

[REDACTED]

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SPECIAL AREA 6 2258N 08227W

SEE TORRENS MILITARY CONCENTRATION.

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SPECIAL AREA 7 2309N 08219W

NO MILITARY OR UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTED.

SPECIAL AREA 8 2302N 08235W

SEE PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD.

SPECIAL AREA 18 2251N 08233W

SEE SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD.

SPECIAL AREA 17 2259N 08244W

FOR MILITARY ACTIVITY IN THE AREA, SEE MARIEL SAM SITE, MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION, MARIEL MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, AND MARIEL NAVAL PORT.

-MISCELLANEOUS-

TARARA AREA, LANDING BEACH 2310N 08212W



BEJUCAL, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITES 2256N 08223W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES FROM [REDACTED]  
PROBABLE VEHICLES AT 22-56-20N 082-22-40W.

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HAVANA AREA, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER 2300N 08226W

NO APPARENT CHANGE EXCEPT TWO PREVIOUSLY REPORTED  
VANS ON APRON ARE NOW CANVAS COVERED.

SAN FRANCISCO DE PAULA, MUNITIONS STGE SITE 2303N 08218W

NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES EXCEPT FIVE ADDITIONAL  
SUBSURFACE BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION IMMEDIATELY

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NORTH AND OUTSIDE OF THE SECURED AREA.



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NO OTHER ITEMS OF SIGNIFICANCE TO REPORT

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